GRANTS CALENDAR

Conservation Planning Program
Habitat Conservation Planning Branch
California Department of Fish and Game

JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH
	Non-traditional Section 6 CDFG regions work with local planners to prepare project proposals.	Non-traditional Section 6 CDFG regions work with local planners to prepare project proposals.
APRIL	MAY	JUNE
Non-traditional Section 6 *CDFG receives award letter from USFWS listing funded projects from previous cycle.	Non-traditional Section 6 CDFG regions continue to work with local planners to prepare project proposals for following grant cycle.	Non-traditional Section 6 *CDFG regions continue to work with local planners to prepare project proposals for following grant cycle.
*CDFG regional staff begin preparing contracts for approved projects.	Local Assistance Grants Final bills are due from contracts	*Announcement for Request for Proposals (RFP) by USFWS D.C.
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Local Assistance Grants Contracts are due to CDFG Contracts Section from awards announced in September.		Traditional Section 6 Proposals due to Wildlife Programs Branch (WPB). WPB and Technical Advisory Committee review proposals.
		Local Assistance Grants Concept proposal application packages are posted on NCCP web site for the following fiscal year.

JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER
Non-traditional Section 6 *Draft Project Statements are finalized by local planners and submitted to regions. *CDFG regions and USFWS regional office staff review projects statements and work with local planners to finalize proposals. Traditional Section 6 Proposals are forwarded to Management Advisory Committee and Leadership Team. Local Assistance Grants LAG applicants submit concept proposals to HCPB. Proposals are forwarded to regional staff for review.	Non-traditional Section 6 *Final project proposals are submitted by regions to Habitat Conservation Planning Branch (HCPB) in CDFG. Ranked Project Proposal List is reviewed by CDFG management team. *Ranked Project Proposal List is submitted to CDFG Deputy Director and Director for review. *Final Project Proposal List is submitted to USFWS Region 8 in Sacramento for forwarding to Portland and Washington D.C. Local Assistance Grants HCPB staff score reviewed and completed concept proposals and select those to be developed into full proposals.	Non-traditional Section 6 FWS Region 8 reviews project statements and fills out evaluation forms to be sent to DC. Local Assistance Grants LAG full proposals and completed application packages are due to HCPB and forwarded to CDFG regional staff for review. LAG awards are announced and the process of writing contracts begins.
OCTOBER	NOVEMBER	DECEMBER
Non-traditional Section 6 FWS Region 8 reviews project statements and fills out evaluation forms to be sent to DC.	Non-traditional Section 6 Portland and Washington DC review and rank proposals at the regional and national level, respectively.	Non-traditional Section 6 Portland and Washington DC review and rank proposals at the regional and national level, respectively.